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In re: Gebreselassie et al.  
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For: *Vehicle Cockpit Assemblies Having Integrated Dash Insulators, Instrument Panels and Floor Coverings, and Methods of Installing Same within Vehicles*

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The mistakes appearing in the patent are set forth with corrections on the Certificate of Correction enclosed herewith, with an additional copy thereof and a return post card.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1.

Line 1 should read -- VEHICLE COCKPIT ASSEMBLIES HAVING --

Column 12.

Line 6 should read -- through assembly first side via the substrate opening, and --

Line 35 should read -- a dash insulator that is configured to be attached to a --

Column 13.

Line 5 should read -- cylinder assembly via an aperture in the pass-through assem- --

Line 38 should read -- a dash insulator that is configured to be attached to the --

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